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**Lesson Plan 4**

**Objectives:**

Science Objectives and Related TEKS:

§112.14. Science, Grade 3

(8)  Earth and space. The student knows there are recognizable patterns in the natural world and among objects in the sky. The student is expected to: (D)  identify the planets in Earth's solar system and their position in relation to the Sun.

ELA Objectives and Related TEKS:

§110.14. English Language Arts and Reading, Grade 3

(4)  Reading/Vocabulary Development. Students understand new vocabulary and use it when reading and writing. Students are expected to: (B)  use context to determine the relevant meaning of unfamiliar words or distinguish among multiple meaning words and homographs

(9)  Reading/Comprehension of Literary Text/Literary Nonfiction. Students understand, make inferences and draw conclusions about the varied structural patterns and features of literary nonfiction and respond by providing evidence from text to support their understanding.

**Activities:**

1. ReadingComprehension a. Read *The Planets in Our Solar System* (kindergarten-grade 2) by Franklyn Branley b. Orally talk about the different planets and their characteristics. c. Match pictures of the planets with descriptions and prepare for project to be completed in activity 3. (see attached in my Clinical Portfolio binder)
2. Reading Vocabulary a. Read the book *Coyote and the Sky How the Sun, Moon, and Stars Began* by Emmett Garcia. (ages 8 and up)
3. b. Complete “The Solar System Vocabulary Worksheet” (see attached in my Clinical Portfolio binder)
4. Written Communication a. Have the student write a 1-2 sentence description about each planet. b. Attach the index card with the pictures used in activity 1 (see attached in my Clinical Portfolio binder).

**Materials:**

Construction paper, markers, cardboard, duct tape, index cards, glue, pictures of planets and labels, vocabulary worksheet, and above indicated read aloud books.

**Differentiation:**

\*\* Will be noted in my Clinical Portfolio Binder

**Evaluation:**

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